

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:	)	
	)	<b>Group Art Unit:</b> 1797
Inventor: Patrick Guiney	)	
	)	<b>Confirmation No.:</b> 9311
App. No.: 10/712,280	)	
	)	<b>Examiner:</b> Hyun, Paul Sang Hwa
Filing Date: November 12, 2003	)	
	)	
Title: SPECIMEN FILTER CONTAINER	)	
HAVING DATA STORAGE	)	

**TRANSMITTAL**

**M/S: RCE**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**1. Documents enclosed:**

Transmitted herewith in response to the Final Office Action mailed August 21, 2007 and Advisory action mailed October 30, 2007, for the above-identified application, are the following:

- ☒ Amendment and Response (21 pages);
- ☒ Request for Continued Examination (RCE) Transmittal (3 pages);

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**CERTIFICATE OF TRANSMITTAL**

I hereby certify that this paper (along with any referred to as being attached or enclosed) is being transmitted to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on the date shown below via the USPTO-EFS-Web filing system.

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Date of deposit

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**2. Request for EXTENSION of Time:**

The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 CFR § 1.136 apply.

☐ Applicant(s) petitions for an extension of time under 37 CFR § 1.136 [fees: 37 CFR § 1.17(a)(1)-(5)] for the total number of months checked below:

☒ If any extension fee is required, please consider this a petition therefore.

**1. RCE FEES**

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>RCE FEE:</b> 37 CFR §1.17 (e)	\$810.00
Reduction by ½ for Filing by Small Entity. Note 37 CFR § 1.9, 1.27, 1.28.	<input type="checkbox"/> \$0.00
Extension of Time (from above)	\$0.00
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**2. Method of Payment of fees:**

- ☒ Credit card payment in the amount of **\$810.00** is charged herein via EFS-Web filing system.
- ☐ Charge Vista IP Law Group LLP Deposit Account No. **50-1105** in the amount of **\$0.00**.
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Respectfully submitted,  
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